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GENERAL NEWS.

(BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.)

A Point Gained.

NEW YORK Oct 4—After a lengthy argument between counsel in the Vanderbilt will contest to-day as to the admissibility of the testimony of Mrs Eleanor Fletcher Bishop, tending to prove that the late commodore was a firm believer in spiritualism the surrogate rendered a long decision on the point declaring the evidence admissible The decision is regarded as a strong point in favor of the contestants, who have dozens of witnesses to prove that the commodore believed in spiritualism, and counsel will argue that the will was made under undue influence Adjourned to Tuesday

The Great Tramp.

At 11 o'clock O Leary completed 370 miles and one lap. He was unchanged in appearance. Hughes was nearly exhausted When he gave up for the night he had completed [illegible] miles and one lap Hughes only walked [illegible] miles and rested about eight hours yesterday.

The Walking Match Concluded.

NEW YORK, Oct 5—The walking match between O'Leary and Hughes was brought to a close to-night. O'Leary made 493 miles in [illegible] tramp, Hughes 311 The latter was used up.

A Negro Hanged.

MAGNOLIA, Miss, Oct 4—Rodney Green colored, convicted of the murder of his brother-in-law, Isaac Harris, and sentenced to be hanged October 4th, was executed here to-day

Will Protect American Citizens

PORTLAND, Me., Oct 4—The U S steamship Plymouth sailed this afternoon for Santa Cruz, having been ordered to protect American citizens there

The Great Scourge.

NEW ORLEANS Oct. 5—Deaths [illegible] cases reported, 85, total deaths 3112; cases 10,303

BATON ROUGE Oct 5—Deaths during the past 24 hours, 8, over 80 new cases daily for the last 4 days. The city is now an hospital, almost every house contains some sick

MEMPHIS, Oct. 6—Dr R W Mitchell, medical director of Howards to-day received the following telegram from Germantown, Tenn "Send a doctor to us at once D Thompson is prostrated, 10 new cases developed in the past 24 hours and no physician to help us 5 from noon yesterday until noon to-day the undertakers report 39 interments 27 of these reported this forenoon"

[illegible], Oct 5—Four deaths fever greatly abated. New cases in city very few but increasing rapidly in the country

A Policeman Killed.

CHICAGO, Oct. 5—Officer Race of the police force was shot and instantly killed to-day by burglars, while making away with stolen goods. No arrest

WASHINGTON CITY.

A Railroad Decision.

WASHINGTON Oct. 4—The cabinet in session to-day approved the letter of the attorney [illegible] an opinion that the Utah and [illegible] Railroad Co can pass through the [illegible] Indian reservation. The treaty with Bannocks is not recognized as a law [illegible], which is considered superior to [illegible] gives the company the right to follow [illegible] line

ANOTHER INDIAN RISING.

Cheyennes Crossing the Platte.

[illegible], Oct 4—The Cheyennes began crossing the Platte river about 5 miles east of [illegible] at about 11 o'clock this morning They were first seen by Union Pacific trackmen who brought the information to Ogallala Scouts were sent out at once and troops [illegible] in readiness Maj Thornburgh's whole command left Sidney at about noon to intercept the Indians The trackmen could not [illegible] the number of Indians seen, but are [illegible] that they compose the main body of the Cheyennes Great excitement prevails at Ogallala, and a conflict between the troops and Indians seems unavoidable

More Definite.

OMAHA, Oct 4—The scouting party sent from Ogallala returned to that station at 2 o'clock and reported that the Cheyennes numbered about 300 The scouting party which consisted of 12 men exchanged a few shots with some stragglers and captured some abandoned stock. The Indians have crossed the North Platte river on the way north Thornburgh's command which left Sidney on a special train running at 30 miles an hour for Ogallala, 72 miles distant, will now have to give them a stern chase as soon as guides are obtained The Indians have got about 25 miles the start and will probably scatter

On the Trail.

OGALLALA, Oct. 4—Thornburgh started immediately in pursuit of the Cheyennes on arriving here to-day, and to-night is camping on the North Platte. Major Mauck's command which has been on the trail several days reached here at 6 o'clock and camped on the South Platte to-night, and will join Major Thornburgh to-morrow Lieut Davis who has also been following the trail with a force of 150 men, arrived here by train from Julesburg and will march to-night and overtake Major Thornburgh on the North Platte The Indians are traveling due north and it is anticipated that they will be overtaken by the soldiers to-morrow sometime

Killed by the Indians.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb, Oct 5—The mail carrier who arrived here from Norton Kansas, this evening, via Indianola, Nebraska states that seventeen men are known to have been killed by Indians in the vicinity of Sappa He states that hostiles were raiding Beaver Creek Wednesday All is quiet now at Indianola, though the people are much excited between there and Platte valley

Still on the Trail.

OMAHA Oct 5—Several large cattle owners residing in Omaha, and having cattle ranches in northern Nebraska on the Nebraska river about 200 miles north of Ogallala, fearing that the Cheyennes, on their northward course might strike their employes and cattle telegraphed from this city last night to Ogallala and North Platte to have couriers sent out regardless of expense to warn the herders about the Indians. Two well mounted couriers were accordingly dispatched from North Platte with instructions to make as many changes of horses as possible en route About fifty cattle herders can be mustered on the Niobrara river in three or four hours They are well armed and abundantly supplied with ammunition It is thought however that the Cheyennes if not overtaken by the troops will pass to the west of the cattle ranges Major Thornburg's command which left Ogallala last night on the North Platte this morning at daylight resumed the chase and at last accounts was within nine miles of the Indians, and will probably soon overtake them and have a fight. Capt Mauck's command of 150 men who came up from the south last night, left Ogallala this morning to join Thornburg Lieut Davis with 150 men who came up from Julesburg to Ogallala shortly after Thornburg's departure last night joined Thornburg during the night About 75 horsemen either Indians or soldiers crossed the South Platte river this afternoon [illegible] east of Big Spring station on the Union Pacific Uncertainty as to who they were, caused great uneasiness at Big Springs

At their Heels

OGALLALA Neb Oct 5—Two soldiers who were sent back from Col Thornburgh's command on account of their horses being played out, report Col Thornburgh close on the heels of the Indians and thought he would overtake them in a short time but the Indians succeeded in getting the command off the main trail by sending scouts out in different directions, but it struck the trail again after losing a little time Thornburgh has several good stock men as guides who are well posted in the country where they are travelling.

STATE LANDS CROOKEDNESS.

That Thirty Thousand Dollar Receipt—Surface Diggings only Developed so Far—Undoubted Richness to Come

[SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN.]

SALEM Oct [illegible] 1878

I know of nothing more interesting to the public mind at the present time than to trace out the history of the irregularities charged against the late board of state lands commissioners by the committee of the house in its recent report telegraphed you in full from here Friday evening and published, to the astonishment of all your readers on Saturday morning It seems to have acted as a galvanic shock on the public mind Of course it is not my desire to create prejudice against ex Gov Chadwick or Col Cann but the people of Oregon are entitled to all the facts and I have got the bottom facts of the deepest interest Through most reliable sources I have traced the history of the $30 000 receipt given November 1873 to R M Walker

Without being able to give the words of the document (which by the bye is not a receipt but a certificate and which mentions the sum of $30 000 I am able to state its full import from a source that is reliable and that is friendly to both Gov Chadwick and Cann and therefore is without prejudice It as the report of the committee states a receipt for $30,000 was issued this is not the document, and the matter needs development as to whether there is a receipt also extant besides the instrument I have traced which bears date I am told Nov [illegible] 1873 and certifies that twenty per cent had been paid to the board of commissioners of state lands ex officio swamp lands commissioners for the state of Oregon on one hundred and fifty thousand acres of swamp and overflowed lands of this state in which R M Walker of California had a one third interest being first payment on said lands as required by law regulating selection and sale of swamp and overflowed lands approved Oct 26 1870 to which reference being had will more fully explain signed T H Cann secretary of board

The above is not a receipt, and if there is or was a receipt given for $30 000 that must also be hunted up and made public but perhaps the committee made its report in haste and under a misapprehension Appended to the certificate given by Col Cann is the official certificate of S F Chadwick secretary of state and ex officio one of the board of swamp land commissioners for this state that T H Cann whose name was attached to the annexed certificate was clerk of the board of swamp land commissioners, that the signature was genuine and his act as clerk was entitled to faith and credit.

It is also reported, on what seems to me indisputable authority that this man Walker sold to certain parties in California already heavily interested by purchase of lands heretofore granted in aid of wagon roads across the Cascade mountains certain swamp lands filings in this state, on which the twenty per cent had not been paid for a large sum of money The parties supposing the certificate referred to above related to the lands they were purchasing the certificate or record of filings no doubt being turned over to them in connection with Cann's certificate of twenty per cent being paid on 150 000 acres I am assured that it was a bona fide transaction on the part of the California purchasers The certificate seems to have worked great harm to innocent parties

The public curiosity would be better satisfied if I could show the inside of the California trade how much bonus over $30 000 the speculators of the golden state paid to the holders of the certificate and who and how many divided the proceeds But there is a limit to the researches of the most enterprising journalist and it can't be done—at least at present But your readers may depend that I will follow Capt Cuttle's advice and when found make a note of it

EUROPEAN NEWS.

A Very Heavy Failure

LONDON, Oct. 4—The total liabilities of Smith Fleming & Co East India merchants whose failure was announced yesterday is estimated at over ten million dollars.

The British Admiralty.

The troop ship *Hemalay* will sail from Plymouth to-day for Marseilles where the lords of admiralty will embark for a tour of inspection of Malta and Cyprus

A Little Breeze at Florence.

FLORENCE Oct 4—The population is excited because a member of the internationals has been killed in a duel by an officer of the Bersaglieri regiment stationed here Troops are confined to barracks. It is hoped the agitation will subside.

A Royal Engagement.

LONDON Oct 4—The rumor of the betrothal of Prince Louis Napoleon son of the late emperor to Princess Thyrion daughter of the king of Denmark is revived in the London correspondence of provincial newspapers

Had Thrown off on Him.

Some old clothes consisting of a coat pants vest and shoes, were found at Longbridge near the swimming baths to-day In the pocket of the vest was found the following note "I commit this rash act because my friends have thrown off on me (Signed) James K W"

More Trouble.

VIENNA, Oct 4—The political crisis is becoming more serious Members of two cabinets will only consent to retain their portfolios on condition that Count Andrassy retires from the Austrian cabinet His financial demands are considered inadmissible

The Anti-Socialist Bill.

BERLIN Oct 4—The government will probably pass the anti socialist bill as passed through the convention as conferences on Wednesday night showed that there is a fair prospect of agreement in the reichstag on amendments satisfactory to Bismarck concerning the duration of the law and the retraction of the clause for the suppression of newspapers for articles printed

Piracy in the Persian Gulf.

CONSTANTINOPLE Oct. 4—Layard, British ambassador is informed that pirates have made their appearance in the Persian Gulf and Gulf of Volo and he has asked permission from the porte to send British men of war to operate against them

Bosnia and Herzegovina Subdued.

VIENNA Oct 5—The following official telegram dated Serajevo October 4th has been received here "Austrians entered Visgrad this morning unopposed The insurgents evacuated their intrenchments abandoning tents cannon and ammunition The Austrians also entered Goraszda unopposed and to-day occupied Cajnica The district of Focha is cleared of insurgents Thus the whole of Bosnia and Herzegovina is subdued and the country is in our hands"

The London Silver Market

The *Times* in its financial article says "The silver market is very stagnant. Were even a moderate amount offering it is generally thought that the price would relapse, but as long as there is none to be had no materially adverse movement in value is apprehended"

An Amicable Reply

BELGRADE Oct 5—The Servian government has received the Porte's reply to the request for the restoration of diplomatic relations The reply is most amicable and desires a renewal of friendship

General Reform Desired by the Porte

CONSTANTINOPLE Oct 5—In negotiations with England respecting reforms in Asia Minor the Porte has manifested a desire to incorporate reforms in a scheme which shall be applicable to the whole empire Layard the British ambassador has opposed this course throughout

A Violent Measure.

CONSTANTINOPLE Oct 5—The government has received intelligence that Sas [illegible] Pasha on announcing that he had received orders to surrender Podgoritza to Montenegrins was killed by Albanians, and 100 officers and men under his command massacred

Another Victim of the Glasgow Bank

GLASGOW Oct. 5—Potter Winslow & Co ship owners and colonial merchants have failed Liabilities estimated at $3 000 000 Potter is one of the directors of the City of Glasgow Bank which recently failed

An Ugly Rumor—A General Misfortune

LONDON Oct [illegible]—It is rumored that Potter, one of the directors of the City of Glasgow Bank and who was also a member of the firm of Potter, Wilson & Co which failed when the bank closed its doors had large advances from the broken bank

The Bank of Mona, a local branch of the City of Glasgow Bank in the Isle of Man held from a million and a half to a million and three quarters of dollars of deposits—about all the money in the island—and many persons are left destitute

Hostilities Imminent

LONDON Oct 5—A dispatch from Bombay says "Four [illegible] infantry regiments and six guns are [illegible] have arrived in front of Ali Musjid a short distance up the Khyber pass and have advanced within six miles of Jalagud at which place a detachment of British troops have arrived Much larger bodies of Afghan troops are on their way [illegible] [illegible] the Khyber [illegible] for [illegible] [illegible] the past [illegible] our lands It is expected [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the Afghan [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] may [illegible]

Confirmation and More Hostile Movements

A dispatch from Simla [illegible] ar [illegible] of Ali Musjid [illegible] a skirmish in front of Ali Musjid [illegible] It is reported that the British force is advancing [illegible] Peshawur in the direction of Jam[illegible] in view of attacking Musjid and that Ameer is massing troops at Ali Musjid and Candahar and threatens Quetta.

OREGON LEGISLATURE.

Tenth Biennial Session

Senate.

AFTERNOON SESSION

SALEM Oct 4 1878

Senate called to order

Bradshaw asked leave to call up H J R 10 for appointment of committee to examine and investigate affairs of state penitentiary for past two years empowering them to send for persons to employ counsel and place all witnesses upon their oath that may be called before it.

Myers offered an amendment to strike out words "to employ counsel" amendment adopted and resolution concurred in

Palmer—S B 10 Moved that rules be suspended [illegible] bill considered engrossed and read third time now [illegible] Referred to special committee

Apperson moved that rules be suspended and senate resolve itself into committee of the whole for the purpose of considering S B [illegible] lost

BILLS READ THIRD TIME

Fulton—S B 3 to redistrict state referred to committee on elections

Fulton—S B 7 for regulating salmon fisheries passed by a unanimous vote

Hirsch—S B 11 to create office of fish commissioner for Columbia river and encourage establishment of hatching houses on waters of Columbia for propagation of salmon passed by a vote of 18 yeas 1 nay [illegible] voting nay because he thought the bill not sufficiently guarded

Hirsch—S B 15, to amend sections [illegible] and 17 [illegible] lost—14 11.

Bradshaw asked leave of absence for three days granted

Burch asked leave to offer S R 19 that the senate accept invitation of Dr Hawthorne to visit insane asylum accepted Adjourned

House.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Galloway of Yamhill unanimous consent being given introduced H J R 1 empowering the committee relating to conduct of the state lands to employ a clerk and granting leave to extend deliberations beyond the present session but it was laid by until the following senate business was attended to

S C R 17—For committee to investigate Dalles and Sandy wagon road was concurred in

House resumed consideration of H B 27 to grant right of way to the N P R R

Thompson presented the facts as to the reorganization by which the bondholders became owners of the road

The house refused to reconsider its vote refusing to adopt recommendation of committee to indefinitely postpone bill

Townsend said the bill was not now satisfactory and would be defeated The committee would vote against it but would report a bill granting right of way without restriction was opposed to subsidizing roads but all roads should have right of way without restriction

Cole said a gentleman connected with the road said they did not want this bill as it is

Thompson explained that they would probably oppose the clause which required the speedy construction of portage roads on the Columbia river They want to tie up their immense land grant for ten years more

Reed thought the house was ready to do all it at was right He thought the bankruptcy of the company nullified the act of 1874 this bill required investigation, it may not pass the house if pressed He favored a select committee

Hewitt moved reference to a committee of five

Evarts wanted to pass it just as it is if necessary at all.

Cole—If the company are not satisfied and want a change let them ask for it

Dorris recited troubles of that company and was not inclined to put a straw in their way Our interest is closely allied with it and we must not hamper them They are the only party that proposes to assist us to communication with the east He wished to strengthen the hands of Senator Grover and Slater and Congressman Whiteaker and proposed to indefinitely postpone and leave the matter to them and thought our interests safe in their hands

Hewitt seconded the proposition of Dorris and thought this matter should not be tampered with by us we don't know what we are doing at all

Evarts called him to order he wasn't speaking to the question which was reference to special committee

Hewitt continued The company has all its corporate powers and reorganization does not affect it. It is an unheard of precedent to claim that corporate rights can be closed out under mortgage The Pioneer Oil Company whose buildings are in sight, retains its corporate rights though closed out

Tyson said they lost sight of the fact that the time for completion has run out It is necessary for us to extend the time He favored imposing restrictions we had depended on them for an outlet and had not got it he wanted evidence that they are honest in what they pretend, this is a small thing to ask that they shall build eighteen miles around the Dalles within two years we ask them to give the interior an outlet to the coast.

Stearns agreed with Mr Evarts, and raised a plea for Eastern Oregon The issue in Multnomah was on the O S N Co They say the company objects perhaps they do—but we have something to say for the rights of Oregon The O S N Co and N P R R Co have always been united The necessity of this portage road is evident. It is not unreasonable Two years is a short time in which to build fifteen miles They may else leave the river to the O S N Co There is a great deal to be said for Oregon in favor of this measure He thought bankruptcy forfeited its rights and privileges Suppose this railroad land depot here were sold out Where then would be the rights and franchises of the company? It is now a new company and want a new grant of congress to cover its defects

Townsend called to order but the chair decided that motion to recommit called up the whole question

Townsend said the gentleman misrepresented the case—the company only asked extension of time.

Stearns continued—As Oregon is granting rights and privileges, we have a right to place these restrictions We should aid the interests of Eastern Oregon which is in favor of the bill by its representatives. The memorial we shall send to congress on this subject will have these restrictions in it

Gates represented the upper country which for eight years has vainly looked for relief to this company They want no legislation on this subject They ask for 10 years more The public land for 40 miles wide are withdrawn from sale waiting for their action They have never established any line of road in Oregon They want a new contract and in any case would be the same old company—the old snake with a new skin They want to have us leave it to the Oregon delegation in congress but he thought we owed a duty to the people of Oregon We have one interest in this matter, and silence will be acquiescence and not our duty to the people of the state He wanted the bill to pass but with these restrictions He thought there was no intention ever to strike a lick in Oregon They want legislation to help them elsewhere If we depend on them they will take the land to build the road elsewhere Extend the time and conditions even if the last be stringent. If the time were extended to four years it might be better than two in which the portage road shall be built. If we make a proposition let us secure our own rights

Purdin wanted the road built from Duluth to Portland, and opposed any restrictions to load them down A road built along the river will have a competing line in the river itself

Scott couldn't see what restrictions the bill had that could prevent the company from accepting the bill He believed the people of Oregon have some rights even the North Pacific should respect He would vote against reference to a committee

Starkweather spoke of the great interest felt in the subject the question is whether we have the right to grant the right of way and whether the public interests are considered desired to give the privileges as well with regard to the people as the company the eight years delay is suspicious that we may have to wait ten years longer are these reasonable and beneficial It is simply that they build fifteen miles of road in two years we don't want to give them a right to be in the way for ten years to come if they want to build up the interior this portage bill greatly favors it

The house by a vote of [illegible] to 33 taken by rising voted not to refer

Considered engrossed and ordered read third time to-morrow

House concurred with senate in amendment to the house resolution refusing penitentiary committee privilege to employ counsel

H J R 11—To permit committee on state land affairs to employ a short hand reporter as clerk and extend time of this investigation beyond the session of this legislature.

Galloway said all over the land we hear the cry of corruption in relation to swamp lands Thirty thousand dollars have been paid according to report for 50 000 acres claimed by one man but Col Cann says it has not been received and it can be explained We find moneys have been paid out without oath or certificate thousands of dollars According to such management thousands and thousands of dollars are taken from the state. The matter should be investigated and if corruption has been practiced the penalty should follow whether Republicans or Democrats [illegible]

[illegible] the propriety of having the committee [illegible] the committee was authorized to administer oaths [illegible] report the condition of affairs the third day before the session [illegible] be continued if advisable [illegible]

Other members took the ground that the committee were honorable men and would not sit longer than was necessary

Galloway said the committee found themselves [illegible] into these affairs as [illegible] an ocean [illegible] there could be no efficient investigation [illegible] in a short time would give up his place on the committee willingly

Thompson of the committee said all the members of the committee would willingly be relieved from duty

Hughes did not think they would use a day more than necessary but it would cost the state $10 or $20 a day

Townsend thought the committee's request only reasonable

Reed referred again to the cost of such a form of investigation by committees

Gates thought unless for good reason the committee should not be continued beyond the session

Thompson called attention to the facts stated in the report and said there was more yet if wanted

Galloway said as chairman of committee that there was more to be had the committee was united in the matter and he didn't believe an honorable man in Oregon would regard extension of time when the committee should report

Amendment offered by [illegible] to amend to have committee report three days before session closes was adopted

H J R 11 as amended was adopted all voting for it

H B [illegible]—Relief of J [illegible] Parker reported against by committee on claims which was indefinitely postponed

H B 109—Returned by committee on counties favorably It requires county courts to make quarterly statements Considered engrossed

H B 51—From committee on counties with amendment to protect improvement of cattle and hogs in certain counties

H B 103—From committee on counties for the relief of Lake county recommend passage considered engrossed

Multnomah county delegation reported back H B 131 with amendments for an act to fix water rates in cities of 10 000 inhabitants Quite a discussion followed a motion to refer again to committee on corporations that was largely participated in Mr Hughes who made the motion said the bill might affect other places before another session

Kelly said the delegation from Multnomah did not wish to press anything through the house without fair consideration

Motion to refer to committee on corporations was lost

Amendments were agreed to and ordered engrossed

Bill to incorporate Dallas was reported with amendment which was adopted and bill ordered engrossed

Committee on blind school reported on that institution would be an attendance of about fifteen the coming year and recommended training by which pupils can be taught some means to earn a livelihood

Select committee on H B 87 reported amendments favoring 7 and 10 per cent relating to prevention of usury and interest on money

Minority recommend 8 and 12 per cent.

Carter was no friend to capital Man who borrows money should have as good chance as man that loans No man can borrow at 12 per cent and live Had seen good men borrow half the money to buy a farm at 12 per cent and none ever succeeded It was impossible Had known men to refuse to buy land because there was more profit in loaning the money How can men come here to buy land? A merchant who pays interest has to make his 12 per cent out of his customers The man that borrows and gives security takes all the risk and needs some advantage over the lender, who is secure It is said that to restrict money would drive money out of the country Years ago in his country money was 25 to 30 per cent and the man who loaned the most now owns 45 000 acres of land grown up to rose briars an injury to the country If our laws were intended to be good they could not be so easily evaded, and it is no argument to say they can be Men in his neighborhood loan money on statute law The bank in Albany is owned by a gentleman who made a small profit in trade before he was a banker and now thrives greatly on loaning money He compounds interest—as every banker does—every 90 days and it pays better than merchandising

It was moved to adjourn to Monday morning at 10 o'clock A M

Dorris opposed the motion They were two days on one order of business and there were over 250 bills before the two houses wanted to stay here and do the work

White recalled that house agreed to visit insane asylum to morrow

Stearns hoped the house would comply with Dr Hawthorne's request. There was work to do before committees and no time would be lost

Hughes agreed with Dorris that work went slow, and we ought to stay here and work

Galloway said the senate was to meet again to morrow

Broback said the fair was coming soon and that would detain us and opposed the motion

A multitude of gentlemen wished to introduce bills but were not permitted

Senate

SALEM, Oct 5 1878

Senate called to order and roll called a quorum found present, journal read and approved

Myers chairman committee on engrossed bills asked leave to report S Bs 84 83, 85 86 87, 120 61 69, 68 34 45 51 11 74 77 [illegible] correctly engrossed

THIRD READING OF BILLS

Myers—S B 21 an act directing and empowering the state treasurer to redeem certain outstanding bonds of this state passed by a unanimous vote title of the bill to stand the title of the act.

Colvig—S B 22 to amend sections 166 and 167 chapter 10 title 1 civil code passed by a vote of yeas [illegible] nays [illegible] Davidson and Myers voting nay The title of the bill stands as the title of the act

Fulton—S B [illegible] for an act defining the rights and fixing the liabilities of married women and the relations between husband and wife passed by a vote of 27 yeas 2 nays Davis and Palmer voting nay

Burch—S B [illegible] to amend sections 1041 and 1042 title 8 chapter 14 civil code relating to district attorney's fees passed by a vote of 22 yeas [illegible] nays Bilyeu (Fulton, George Haines, Hirsch and Ross voting nay

George—S B 26 to amend section 3 chapter 61 miscellaneous laws granting to a married woman right to dispose of any real estate held in her own right subject to any rights which her husband may have as a tenant by courtesy and may by will dispose of her separate personal property or pecuniary rights possessed or owned by her at the time of her marriage or afterwards acquired by gift devise or inheritance or acquired during coverture by her own labor This bill passed by a vote of 7 yeas 1 nay—the president voting nay The title of bill stands as title of the act

Waldo—S B 9 to amend section 386 chapter civil code relating to suits in equity Bill passed by a vote of 25 yeas [illegible] nays those voting nay being Bentley Davidson Davis Myers and Pennington The title of the bill stands as the title of the act.

George—S B 3[illegible] to amend section 986 civil code relating to the duties of sheriffs passed by a unanimous vote The title of the bill stands as the title of the act

Hirsch—S B 38 to amend section 8 title 1 chapter 6 miscellaneous laws relating to conveyances of real property lost by a vote of 15 ayes 13 nays, two senators being absent Colvig and Palmer Nays—Apperson Applegate Bentley Bilyeu Davidson Davis Fulton Green, Haines Myers Pennington Ross Thompson

Thompson asked leave to have a resolution printed the president made it a single exception and permission was granted

Smith—S B [illegible] for an act to amend section 1121 title 6, chapter 15 relating to conveyance by executors and administrators passed unanimously the title of the bill stands as the title of the act

Myers—S B 40 to amend section 8 subdivision 3 title 3 general laws relating to duties of state treasurer re-referred to committee on ways and means with instructions to incorporate an amendment offered by Hirsch

Hirsch asked leave of absence till Tuesday noon granted Apperson asked leave of absence till Monday at half past ten granted

Apperson moved that when the senate adjourns it adjourn to meet Monday at 2 o'clock lost

Senate adjourned

AFTERNOON SESSION

Burnett—S B 40 to amend section 761 title 7 of the code defining disputable presumption passed by a unanimous vote

Colvig—S B 47 an act to amend section 1 chapter 58 miscellaneous laws to define the boundaries of mining claims passed by unanimous vote

Bilyeu—S B 45 to provide for the payment of claims arising out of the Indian wars in 18[illegible] and 1878 called forth an able and eloquent discussion the bill passed—yeas [illegible] nays 2 Watt and Cochran voting nay

Haley moved that when the senate adjourns it be till [illegible] o'clock on Monday Senate adjourned

House.

House called to order at 10 o'clock roll called and quorum present

The reading of minutes was dispensed with

Leave of absence was granted to Messrs Gilbert Hamilton and Hansard until 12 o'clock Monday

The house proceeded to consideration of H B 87 to regulate rate of interest Minority report favoring 8 to 12 per cent being before the house the discussion was general and participated in by many members The yeas and nays were called for and the substitute to the amendment was lost by yeas 16 nays 37 The majority report for 8 per cent interest and 10 per cent on contract was adopted by a vote of ayes 40 nays 18 Bill ordered engrossed and ordered read third time to-morrow

H B 45 Consideration indefinitely postponed

S B 8 Was reported back committee recommended its passage Bill ordered engrossed and read third time to-morrow

H B [illegible]—Committee to whom was referred this bill reported it back with amendments report adopted bill ordered engrossed and read third time to-morrow

H B 17 The committee recommended that it do not pass was indefinitely postponed

H B 31—Recommended to pass with amendments report adopted ordered engrossed and read third time to-morrow

H B [illegible]—Committee recommended that it pass report adopted and bill ordered engrossed and read third time to-morrow

H B 104—Committee recommended as a substitute for H B [illegible] report adopted and bill ordered engrossed and read third time to-morrow

H B 138—Substitute for H B 131 a motion to lay on table was carried and substitute ordered printed.

H B 131—A substitute relating to water rates was ordered printed

A report from a special committee concerning attorneys fees in behalf of canal and lock commissioners was referred to committee on ways and means Adjourned to Monday at [illegible] o'clock.

THAT WIFE OF MINE

BUYS ALL HER

GROCERIES

OF

N[illegible], S[illegible]ES & C[illegible]

AT THE RED FRONT,

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Thirty-Fifth Report and Balance Sheet

OF THE

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FIRE AND MARINE.

For the Half-Year Ending May 31, 1878.

Unlimited Liability of Shareholders.

Capital	$7,000,000
Capital—paid up	1,000,000
Assets	2,019,812
Surplus for Policy Holders	1,760,368
Premiums received to May 31, 1878	7,095,633
Losses paid to date	4,218,907
U. S. Bonds deposited with Treasurer of State of Oregon	50,000

LOSSES PROMPTLY PAID IN U. S. GOLD COIN.

C. P. FERRY,
Inspector of Agencies.

HUGH CRAIG Manager for Pacific Coast.

S. B. RIGGES,
s11d1m Manager Portland Oregon.

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Home Mutual Insurance Co.,

OF CALIFORNIA.

HAMILTON BOYD } Agents for Oregon
GEO L STORY, }

OFFICE—Northeast corner of Stark and First Sts, Portland, Oregon.

Losses paid in Oregon in six years ... $114,516 71

Incorporated A. D. 1864.

J F HOUGHTON ... President
CHAS. R. STORY ... Secretary

Net Cash received for Fire Premiums in 1877 ... $335,511 04

Assets, Jan. 1, 1878 ... 578,065 85

LIABILITIES—

Losses unpaid	$3,638 37	
Dividends "	1,957 00	5,595 27
Surplus for Policy Holders,		$572,470 47

The Home Mutual is a non board Company.

Losses paid since organization $1 231 504 86

UNION

Insurance Company.

FIRE AND MARINE.

Capital, (PAID UP IN GOLD COIN.) - $750,000

Assets, exceed - $1,000,000

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Hennessy, Martell and Jules Robin's BRANDIES, in case and bulk.
Scotch WHISKY, in case and bulk.
Krug & Co's CHAMPAGNES.
Heidsieck & Co's "GRAND VIN ROY" CHAMPAGNE, pints and quarts
Finest SHERRIES and PORT WINES
Benedictine, Maraschino, &c.
BORDEAUX CLARETS, in case.
CURRY POWDER and CURRANTS.
Lea & Perrins' WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE.
Cross & Blackwell's PICKLES.
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PURE MALT VINEGAR.
FINEST SALAD OIL, quarts.
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The Daily Oregonian.

MONDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 7, 1878.

THE REVELATIONS AT THE CAPITAL.

There can no longer be a doubt that there has been gross malfeasance in the management of state lands. Great as the sensation is over what has already been made known, the fact is apparent from these first results of the investigation that the committee has reached as yet only the threshold of what is to be developed. But enough is known to justify the gravest apprehensions. The testimony of the clerk of the board of land commissioners starts many points whose significance cannot be misunderstood. No very acute penetration is necessary for discovery of the tendency of these points of information. They are outcroppings of a lead which, if thoroughly explored, will bring astonishing revelations. It cannot possibly be otherwise, for the indications are unmistakable. The transaction involving the twenty per cent. on 150,000 acres of land, amounting to $30,000, seems to be something like this: R. M. Walker, or whoever was the principal agent in it, took the filings, including the *quasi* receipt for the money and the certificate made by the secretary of state, to parties in California, for the purpose of selling out the job for a greater sum; and whatever the proceeds might be beyond the $30,000 would be clear profit, to be divided among the persons in interest. This is the interpretation the transaction bears upon its face, though it may on fuller explanation be susceptible of some other. But the $30,000 was never paid to the state, and it remains to be seen whether the lands can be held under such fraudulent proceeding. Now that the committee is fairly on the track of the job it ought to get at the bottom facts. Of other transactions referred to the explanation is more apparent. Various persons, favorites of the board, seem to have been designated to select swamp lands, were allowed exorbitant compensation for their services, and were credited with the amount in payment of the twenty per cent. on lands selected for themselves or their associates. This will explain Mr. Cann's statement that "if a man had a bill against the state he audited it and retained the money." This can be characterized only as a scheme for swindling the state out of the twenty per cent. Such is exactly the effect of it. For what actual and honest service was J. N. Barker, brother-in-law of Secretary Chadwick, allowed over $8,000 which the committee find him credited with? A like question may be asked in relation to others who were paid great sums. The fact is undoubted that the state administration during the last eight years has been thoroughly corrupt. It has converted into merchandise everything that could be subjected to venal transformation. The legislature is now on the track of some of the delinquents. The people call upon that body to make the investigation thorough. What is now being developed is only a proper sequel to transactions which have been known heretofore, but to which the public have been strangely indifferent. The enormous emoluments made by state officials, the extravagance and dishonesty of the state printing, the mismanagement of the school fund and the large loans made on inadequate security for the benefit of Gov. Grover himself, entailing great loss upon the state, are fitly followed by these revelations in regard to state lands. What more is to come? We shall see. There is enough. Bad begins and worse remains behind. The administration appears to have divided up for the benefit of its members and its favorites pretty much everything to which the rules of simple or compound division, or both, could be made to apply. Will the various committees push inquiries in other directions? If they go deep enough they will pretty certainly find other mines which Mr. Chadwick and some of his associates have been working. If the spade be pushed vigorously we shall expect to see these moles thrown to the surface and to daylight in surprising places.

THE MACDONALD MURDER.

Even the indurated sensibility of W. S. Chapman winces under the criticism he has received on account of his agency in the proceedings that led to the murder of Macdonald. He [illegible] makes in the *Standard* such [illegible] at justification as he can. His [illegible]ment only makes the matter worse, since it exhibits in him an utter lack of conscience,—being really in doubt whether any wrong has been done by anybody—as well as total unconcern for the consequences of his act in writing, enlarging and printing the scandalous matter furnished by Mercer, which brought about the opportunity to kill Macdonald. Chapman "denies any complicity in any dishonorable work in this matter;" a statement which it makes it impossible for any person who possesses a sense of honor to have any controversy with him,—the more so since, though he wrote and printed the defamatory statements that led to Macdonald's death, and asserted that he had proof of them in E. K. Chapman's handwriting, he has never printed E. K. Chapman's declaration to the contrary, though long since required as an act of justice both to the living and dead. THE OREGONIAN in pursuance of a public duty has characterized this whole affair in such terms as it deserved, and it has spoken of W. S. Chapman simply as it would have spoken of any other person equally responsible in it. This paper can have no kind of controversy with him as an individual, though he is so anxious to receive its notice that he has even derived satisfaction from its censure in this most dreadful affair. In his letter to the *Standard* he admits, because he now finds it convenient and necessary to support a new excuse, that the scandalous "notes" were not written by E. K. Chapman, though even after Macdonald's murder he stoutly asserted they were. The statement now is that the defamatory matter was obtained "in friendly conversation" from E. K. Chapman by one W. J. Horn, and by Horn given to Mercer. Who is this Horn? The fact that he is an associate of Mercer's, and is now brought forward by Chapman and Mercer as their witness in the hope of finding in him some partial defense against public condemnation, are not circumstances that specially entitle him to credibility. If Horn had anything to do with the matter his agency in it is also infamous. The whole crime is rendered not a whit the less heinous by the frantic efforts of Mercer and Chapman to divide the responsibility with others. They have been forced to abandon their first statement altogether, and now set up a miserable subterfuge for it. The only effect will be to concentrate public attention even more strongly upon a great crime. A man's name is given as authority for a slander that leads to murder, and it is stoutly asserted and iterated that the statements are in his hand-writing; but when that falsehood is hunted down refuge is taken in the statement that some other person received it by hearsay, and this other person gave it to Mercer who brought it to W. S. Chapman, who wrote it up and printed it. Who would believe this roundabout "testimony," propagated through disreputable persons who have already been convicted of and forced to abandon their original falsehood? Yet this is offered as justification for defaming a man, attacking him and his wife in their deepest sensibilities, and then making his just resentment an opportunity for murdering him. Public opinion is not to be turned away from the hideousness of this affair by any trifling personalities. We are not dealing with W. S. Chapman further than is necessary in properly characterizing and exposing this greatest outrage and infamy which this community has ever known. It is a matter which cannot be sunk to any low plane of private recrimination.

Nothing definite is yet announced concerning the Portland water bill. But the subject has been examined and discussed a good deal, and there now seems to be little danger that any of the shallow and ridiculous propositions heretofore brought forward will be adopted. The rate bill proposed by Mr. Stearns certainly will be rejected, since the legislature will not think of trifling in this way with an important subject. Last week we learned through several sources that Mr. Stearns took his course on this subject without consultation with the other members. Portland wants a bill which will accomplish a result. Give us a responsible commission with authority to act, and put the matter in such shape as will keep it out of the hands of political rings. If the present water company had any special or exclusive privilege we should have a ground on which to base a claim that the rates should be controlled by law; but they have no such privilege. Any other person or company may enter into competition with them. We can therefore no more control the rates by statute than we can control the prices at which the Oregon City factory company may sell blankets. Let us have no trifling with this question, but proceed with it as if we really intended to do something.

"There is urgent need," said Mr. Chadwick in his recent message, "of some additional legislation in reference to the sale of the swamp lands belonging to the state." In view of recent transactions we are inclined to think so ourselves. "The present law," he continues, "does more to embarass than aid the board in disposing of these lands." Yet in spite of the embarassment the board seems to have got on reasonably well in disposing of the lands and keeping the proceeds out of the treasury.

There was a long debate in the house on Friday on the bill to grant right of way through the state to the Northern Pacific railroad. The law of 1874 grants full right of way, and we think any further action unnecessary. The new bill will probably be passed, however, though we should prefer the substitute which was offered by Hon. D. P. Thompson.

A bill has been introduced by Senator Watt to repeal the statute under which the sum of five thousand dollars a year has been appropriated out of the general fund for support of the agricultural college. In this again the senator from Washington is giving proof of his zeal for the public interests as opposed to private schemes.

CLARKE COUNTY REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The Republican county convention of Clarke county was held at Vancouver October 5th at which time the following county ticket was nominated:

Judge G. H. Steward, Edw. Gibbons, Esq., representatives; L. Meeker, Thomas Dorman, S. R. Whipple, commissioners; J. H. Fletcher, sheriff; Charles Brown, auditor; Fred W. Bier, treasurer; William Ranck, probate judge; Edwin Sparks, assessor; M. Buchanan, surveyor; Robert Ross, school superintendent.

Delegates were elected to the territorial convention, as follows: A. Buchanan, Fred W. Bier, W. Byron Daniels, John R. Eaton, Edward Gibbons, Samuel C. Harris.

The following resolution was adopted by the convention:

WHEREAS, It is customary to re-elect faithful and efficient officers, and especially so if they have served but one official term; and

WHEREAS, N. H. Bloomfield, Esq., has for the past two years discharged the duties of prosecuting attorney of the 2d judicial district of Washington territory in such manner as to reflect credit upon himself and to promote the best interest of his constituents; therefore be it

Resolved by the Republicans of Clarke county in convention assembled, that we heartily indorse his official record, and cordially recommend him for re election by the people, and our delegates to the territorial convention are hereby instructed to vote for him as the Republican candidate for prosecuting attorney at the coming territorial convention. Convention adjourned.

M. R. HATHAWAY, Chairman.

FRED W. BIER, Secretary.

DIED.

In this city Oct. 5th, Wm. W. Lappeus, father to J. H. Lappeus, in his 77th year. Relatives, friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral at 2 o'clock on Monday afternoon from his late residence corner of C and Seventh St

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GIRL WANTED.
CONSTANT EMPLOYMENT FOR A GOOD SERVANT girl to do general housework. Inquire at No. 130 Taylor street.

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REGULAR QUARTERLY MEETING ON TUESday, 8th October, at 7 o'clock P. M. By order of the President

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On Tuesday, October 8th,
At 10 o'clock A. M.
OSCAR KILBOURN, Auctioneer.

Oregon Steamship Comp'y.
PORTLAND to SAN FRANCISCO.
REDUCED RATES.
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The Oregon Steamship Company will dispatch their new and elegant A 1 Iron Steamship
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COMPOSITION.

IN U. S. DISTRICT COURT, DISTRICT OF OREgon.—In the matter of A. B. Morris, bankrupt, District of Oregon, ss.—Notice is hereby given that said bankrupt has filed his petition to said court for a meeting of his individual creditors to submit terms of composition, to wit: Payment in full of all his individual debts twelve months after date with interest at the rate of ten per cent.; promissory notes to be given therefor with satisfactory security, and that by order of said court a composition meeting of the individual creditors of said bankrupt will be held before the undersigned, Register in Bankruptcy, at his office, corner of Stark and First sts., in the city of Portland, in said district, on the 15th day of October, A. D. 1878, at 11 o'clock A. M., to consider said matter, where and when any person in interest may attend.

H. H. NORTHUP, Register.

Portland, Oct 5, 1878.

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SUCH AS

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Ladies' Waterproof Cloaks	$6 upw'ds
Ladies' Worsted Wrappers	$4 upw'ds
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Felt Skirts, Ties, Ruching,
CARD BOARD, in all shades,
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And other Goods too numerous to mention.
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FIRST ANNUAL BALL
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FATHER MATHEW T. A. B. SOCIETY
Will be held at
ORO FINO HALL,
ON THURSDAY EVENING, OCT. 10th

Committee of Arrangements.
Chas. Grant, Thos. Murtha, Owen Cox, William Hurley, James Kennedy, P. G. Gleason, Jas. Cusick Michael Martin, T. D. McManus, Thomas Brown Wm. Courtney, T. B. McDevitt, John Ring, Wm. J Kelley, Con. O'Brien Wm. E. Torpey.

Reception Committee:
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Floor Managers.
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TICKETS $1—to be had from any of the members and at the door on the night of the 10th.
Dancing to commence at 10:30 P. M. s30dtd

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CLOAKS,
All of the Latest Styles.
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DRESS GOODS,
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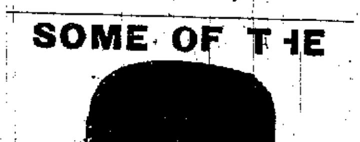

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Particular attention is called to the MILLINERY Department filled with the latest Novelties for the Fall Trade.

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GREAT BARGAINS
IN
DRESS GOODS,
FANCY GOODS,
NOTIONS, &C.
A Large Assortment of
LADIES' CLOAKS,
And would direct special attention to the
REDUCTIONS
IN PRICES OF
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AND ALL
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Resolved, That Protection Engine Co. No. 4, do hereby nominate HARRY MORGAN for re election as Chief Engineer of the Portland Fire Department for the ensuing year.

Resolved, That his nomination be made unanimous.

Resolved, That a copy of these proceedings be inserted in the DAILY OREGONIAN.

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MONDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 7, 1878.

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DEATH OF W. W. LAPPEUS.—Last Saturday forenoon, about 10 o'clock, Mr. W. W. Lappeus, father of J. H. Lappeus, ex chief of police, died suddenly at his home in this city. For some years Mr. Lappeus had been subject to epileptic fits. During the early part of the forenoon Mr. Lappeus seemed to be enjoying the best of health, and was in excellent spirits. Only a few minutes before his death he was laughing and talking. He carried a bucket of water to the back porch to clean out some bird cages, and while walking along he was suddenly seized with the fit and fell to the floor. He never spoke, but died almost instantly. With the exception of being afflicted with epilepsy he enjoyed splendid health. Medical assistance was invoked immediately, but the vital spark had forever fled. Deceased was 77 years of age. He was a kind hearted and affable old gentleman, and much respected by all who knew him. No inquest was held. The funeral will take place to day (Monday) at 2 o'clock P. M. from his late residence, corner of C and Seventh streets.

FAREWELL SERMON.—The San Francisco *Bulletin*, of Sept. 30th, has the following paragraph concerning Rev. Thomas Guard, who visited Portland some months ago: "Rev. Thomas Guard preached his last sermon at the Howard street Methodist Church last evening. He based his remarks upon a portion of the 11th chapter of Hebrews, and spoke of the trials, temptations and heroism of Moses. In conclusion the speaker said that as he was going across the bay he would not say farewell, as he should meet most of the congregation again. He had endeavored to perform his duty as a pastor and instructor while among them, and the only complaint brought against him during his sojourn with them was in relation to the length of his sermons—the first time in his experience that he had ever known a congregation to grumble at getting too much for their money."

MATRIMONIAL.—Our correspondent writing from Albany under date of 4th inst. says: "Mr. L. Bilyeu, late county school superintendent of this county and a prominent young lawyer of this city, and Miss Maggie Irvine, daughter of Robert A. Irvine, ex-sheriff of Linn county, were united in matrimony on the evening of the 2d inst. The ceremony was performed by Prof. L. J. Powell, superintendent of public instruction, and witnessed by several prominent citizens of this and adjoining counties, accompanied by their wives and daughters, among whom were Judge Strahan and Hon. W. R. Bilyeu, state senator from Linn. The affair was an enjoyable one to all those who were present, and all join in wishing the distinguished young pair long life and unalloyed happiness."

A MOTHER AND CHILD DROWNED.—Last Thursday afternoon Mr. Shurtz, son-in-law of James Bruce, of Benton county, who lives in Eastern Oregon, was on his road, with his wife and infant child, to pay a visit to his wife's people in Benton county. When fording the Santiam, near Sweet Home, as they reached the middle of the stream, one of the horses baulked and refused to go further. A boat was brought to take the occupants ashore, but the parties baving the boat, in their excitement, went on the upper side, and striking against the wagon, caused it to upset, drowning Mrs. Shurtz and her infant child. The body of Mrs. Shurtz has been recovered, but that of the child has not been found.

TO SCHOOL TEACHERS AND DIRECTORS.—Both in Portland and in other places a large number of ladies and gentlemen of [illegible] and culture who are well adapted to teach, and who would be glad to get work to do. Many school districts in the interior are without efficient teachers because the directors do not know where to find them. The OREGONIAN reaches and is read in every district of importance in Oregon and Washington territory, and a line stating the needs of either the individual or the public in its advertising columns, is widely read and is almost certain of response.

DEATH OF OLIVER F. GERRISH, ESQ.—A telegram from Port Townsend informs us of the death of this gentleman at Victoria, B. C., on [illegible]. He was buried at Port Townsend on Saturday last. Mr. Gerrish was widely and favorably known in Washington territory. He was a most hospitable gentleman, and upright in all his dealings, and his death will be sincerely regretted. He was about 48 years old. He was born in New Hampshire and came to the Pacific coast in 1852, during all of which time he has resided at Port Townsend. The cause of his demise was diabetes.

WAIVED AN EXAMINATION.—The two Chinamen—Le Ah Quang and Le Ah Chow—who were arrested Thursday evening charged with making a murderous assault on Chin Su Ying, were brought into police court Saturday afternoon for preliminary trial. Both defendants waived an examination and were held to answer. Being charged with murder in the first degree, they were not admitted to bail.

WILL REORGANIZE.—The Ladies' Congregational society will meet at the residence of Mr. H. Shindler at half-past two o'clock to-morrow afternoon, to reorganize and to arrange a plan of work for the coming winter. A series of social entertainments given by this society last winter were very pleasant and raised several hundred dollars, which aided greatly in freeing the church from debt.

AT THE FAIR.—Gus. Miller and Commodore and Major Nutt have leased stand No. 29 on the state fair ground and will deal extensively in confectionary, cigars, fruits, etc. The stand will be known by the unique name of "The Little 2 and Big 1." Mr. Miller and the little gentlemen will go up to the grounds to-day to make all necessary arrangements.

GET YOUR TICKETS CHANGED.—Those who have purchased tickets to attend the entertainment which was to have been given Saturday evening at New Market theater, should not fail to call and see Mr. Morse at the palace of art to-day and get their tickets changed. New tickets will be issued, and persons will be required to select new seats.

SHIPPING.—The steamship *Great Republic* arrived at San Francisco last Friday evening and the *Ancon* Saturday morning. The steamer *California* sailed from Victoria for Sitka on the 4th inst. The steamers *Great Republic* and *Ancon* are both announced to sail from San Francisco for Portland to-morrow (Tuesday).

REPORTED DRAWN OFF.—Col. J. R. Farrish received a dispatch Saturday from San Francisco, from G. W. Burton, to the effect that the steamship *Great Republic* had been hauled off this route. The report, however, fails to receive confirmation yet.

PROTRACTED MEETING.—A protracted meeting is being held at Hall street M. E. church, by Rev. A. Laubach and others. A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend these meetings.

POSTPONED.—Owing to the death of Mrs. Hamlin Cooke, the annual target excursion of the Washington Guard has been postponed until the first Thursday in November.

BETHEL SERVICES.

[COMMUNICATED.]

The Bethel flag of the Seaman's Friend society floated from the masthead of the ship *Freeman Clarke* yesterday afternoon, inviting seamen, longshoremen and citizens to these interesting and important open air services. We were fortunate in getting in a position to observe the rapt attention of the mixed crowd that assembled on the wharf, and feel safe in saying that many hearts responded to the chaplain's fervent words as he set before them the impartial love of God. We are quite sure that the great church of the future had representatives there, and that many left feeling a deeper love for the truth and a growing desire to lead a higher, purer and holier life.

It seems to be the aim of Chaplain Stubbs to bring men to respect themselves, and thus prepare them for the higher religious life of the true Christian.

PERSONAL.

[illegible]field, Esq., one of the district at[illegible] city.

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW SEASON.—The new dramatic season, under Mr. John Maguire, will open October 21st with the grand revival of "Guy Mannering" with all the original music, Madame Jean Clara Walters as "Meg Merrilies."

L. AND M. ENTERTAINMENT.—On Thursday evening next the first annual literary and musical entertainment, under the auspices of the Father Mathew Total Abstinence and Benevolent Society, will be given at Oro Fino Hall. A number of ladies and gentlemen have volunteered to render a choice selection of vocal and instrumental music, and Mr. S. J. McCormick, whose ability as a lecturer is well and favorably known, will deliver a discourse on the "Life and Labors of Father Mathew."

MRS. SCOTT SIDDONS.—This very accomplished elocutionist and eminent tragedienne arrived here on the steamer *Chester*. To-night Mrs Scott Siddons will make her initial bow at New Market theater. The lady will give a number of recitations—humorous, pathetic and classic. It is needless to attempt to bestow words of praise on a lady whose reputation as a reader and dramatic artist of the highest order is so thoroughly established. The lady comes to us bearing the most hearty endorsement of the public and press. She has recently given a series of readings in San Francisco with a measure of success very gratifying. Those who do not attend the readings announced to be given, will certainly deprive themselves of a rare treat. A large number of seats have been sold, and the prospects of a crowded house to-night are very flattering. Readings will be given to-morrow evening and also Wednesday night.

We received a call Saturday afternoon from Mr. Charles S. Walton, business manager of the Union Square Comedy Company which will appear at Reed's Opera house in Salem during fair week. He informs us that the company is composed of about twenty first-class people, none of whom except Messrs. Barrows and Billings have appeared in this State. They will produce the "Celebrated Case" and other popular plays. Mr. W. thinks it probable that the company will play at the New Market theatre a short season after the close of the fair.

BRIEF NOTES.

Mrs. Scott Siddons at New Market theater to-night.

The steamer *City of Chester* arrived at this port Saturday evening.

The hull of a new boat is nearly finished just above Smith's sawmill.

Who but the most misanthropic individual could find fault with the weather yesterday?

A number of legislators came down to Portland Saturday. They returned this morning.

Senator L. F. Grover and wife were registered at the St. Nicholas hotel on the 25th of September.

Mr. John Van Beurden arrived in New York October 1st, and is now en route to San Francisco.

Two weeks more good weather, and then the board of managers of the state fair will feel a little reckless.

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The sixth Sunday School convention for Oregon and Washington territory will commence in this city to-morrow.

A Baker City exchange says: "Miss Della Carter, of this city, has gone to attend school at New York, we believe."

In consequence of the immense amount of building going on this year, shingles have got to be a scarce article and command a good price in this city.

A San Francisco exchange of the 2d says: "Captain Alexander, of the *Idaho*, goes in the steamer *Los Angeles*, on the southern coast route of the P. C. S. S. Co."

The two celestials, Le Ah Quang and Le Ah Chow, who murdered Chin Su Ying will doubtless have an opportunity to "pull hemp." "The Chinese must go."

INCOMING PASSENGERS.

Per steamship *Oregon*, which sailed from San Francisco October 6th, at 10 A. M.: Bliss D Rickey, H A Elliott, Martin Hecht, Capt Boswell, U S A, H Rosenfeld, Lt W F Stewart, U S A, Col Smith C Poncine and wife, Miss E Slocum, P M Bowen and wife, Mrs C T Thomas, Miss A Moores, Miss B Moores, Mrs E J Tate, E J W Stemme, wife and two children, J O Levandro and wife, Mrs M M Daniels, Miss Perry, Miss Rosa Arnold, Mrs J H Dow, J G Meagher and wife, Dr Taylor and wife, A Houghay, Rev J H Wilbur, W F Thomas, J M Blossom, T P McKenzie, W S Moley, H Brown, N H Chapman and wife, W P Niles, J Hall, W P Olus, H Weinhart, J W Bell, H W Cleveland, J N Prather, J B Booker, R A Foster, L A Havens, Daniel Boss, S S Berge, Peter Saxe, wife and son, Mrs J J Walten, Mrs M Benjamin, Mrs C H Wincoff, C Sharp, Jr, C H Wincoff, J H Dow, Jr, C F Overyaugh, mother and brother, Mrs J B Peaman, three children and brother, J J Walton, J D Clark, W V Crawford, J F Sullivan, Miss A E Kelly, E J Newton, Miss O'Connor, D Lyons wife son and infant, Mrs Brooks and three children, Mrs J H Kelly, Miss M J Kelly, Mrs Liberty and six children, W W Woodland wife and three children, C F Daniels, E B Stevens, D Hope, F S Kelly, J Missner, J Hardenburg, Jos Waters Wm Reed, R Watson, Mrs P Van Fridagh and son, Mrs C Green, J W Reynolds J D Thompson, E J Winter, Mrs Richardson, Mrs Eixner, Mrs H Gaston, D J Whistler, J Herbert, J B Johnson, H Axthelm wife and daughter, A White wife and three children, M George, J Hadley, A Mapy, Geo Rich, O O Hodson, A Hoskins, Mrs George, Mrs Hoskins and daughter, J Metzger wife and three children, J H Barrow, G D B Arrow, P W Ford, W H Kelly, J H Kelly, W Daly, G H Smith, A T Nordyke, W R Young, W E Nordyke, J R True, J B True, Mrs Nordyke, Mrs True, Mrs J R Dolan, Mrs D F Campbell, Mrs H J Shane and four children, Mrs F Hoyt, Mrs B Patterson, Mrs W A Holmes, James Burke, George Burke, Mrs M Burke, Miss Prokjoy, Mrs Whitman, W Preston, G DeLong, T DeLong, J H Huddleson, B Huntington, D J Edwards, A Ferra, W Walker, B A Grover and boy, J R Cooper, W McKibbon, J H McCarthy, J Metzger, wife and daughter, D E Metzger and family, T Fleming, Miss E Kelly, D W McFadden, T Pierson, J Lawson, P B Pinny, D J Keating, A M Keating, A Turner, Mrs Keating and four children, C J Bush, J Penwell, D D Cook, J W Renwick, J Ewell, A J Utley, O Kramer, R Schenck, A Bretz, Mrs C Smith, Rev D E George and wife, Z Howe, wife and four children, Mrs Aldrich and child, W E Hewley, J Power, W White, B T Rockford, E Clarke, Mrs K Lamie, S S Harmon, A L Benjamin, F Valentine, J H Guiter, J Smith, B D Boswell, W Brown, J Jansen, Mrs Turfrey, Mrs Keath, W McDonald, G R Duvall, H Ludwig, B M Brown, T Talbot, W A Redmond, R Stewart, wife and child, Mrs E Edmondson and two daughters, J Lebold, J L Clarke, E J Baker, A A Campbell, D Benton and wife, Miss J R Stratton, and Peter Saxe with forty head of fine stock.

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Mrs J E Sheppard, Salem
Wm H Newell, Chico, Cal
E E Miner, Yamhill
J M Ellis, San Francisco
Geo Edgar, Idaho
G A Phinney, New York
W Stillman, Kansas City
W N Smith, wf & dau'ter, Waitsburg, W T
J B Eaton, Jr, Union
Capt J H Smith, U S A
Lieut H B Larsen & wf, U S A
E P Thompson, Astoria
Milton Elliott, do
Jno Stewart, Douglas co
Henry Buckly, do
G B Caldwell, Independ
M S Booth, Seattle
T J Swezea, Walla Walla
B Tallus, Tacoma
F Herchfeld, San Fran
J Hoover & wf, Stellacoom
A M Ramsey, Oregon City
Mrs Cook, Seattle
J H Babbitt, San Francis
P Miles, do
Daul McCann, do
R Newman, do
E J Williams, do
John Brach, do
H Brown, do
T J McGrath, do
E J Frasier, Petaluma
C Huntoon, Boston
W Wild, San Fran
Capt Dunn, do
L C Cavanaugh, do
J H Cavanaugh, do
A V Butler, do
J Stewart, do
Jas Meagher, do
B C Holmes, do
G B Allison, do
Jacob Frazer, Pendleton
Mr Blackwell, do
J W Ross, Los Angeles
A J Lawrence, do
Chas Whitlock, Sacramento
A B Coffman, Napa, Cal
C Jones, Oakland
C F Branch, Stockton
J W Davis, Wheatland
B Wolfe, Dalles
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BUSINESS NOTICES.

J. Kohn's clothing palace will be open this evening.

Mooney & Valentine again call attention to their large stock of dress goods, cloaks, hosiery and underwear, also to late arrivals in millinery goods. Read ad, then give them a call.

SPIRITUALISM.

Circles for development every evening at Dr. Hyde's seance rooms, No. 141, First street.

Mrs. Dr. Lou Patterson, a Test and Business Medium, gives sittings daily. Residence, Columbia st., between First and Second.

Mrs. D. H. McLennan, test and business medium. Wonderful tests with names given. Communications strictly private. Cor. Third and Morrison streets, rooms 9 and 10.

Ladies! note the display of cloaks and suits at Harris' Emporium of Fashion.

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Buchtel & Stolte make as fine work in the photograph line as any gallery in the United States, and the best in Oregon.

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Another new lot of ladies' and children's purses of all kinds and prices at Mrs. Chas. Tichnor's, cor. First and Yamhill streets.

THE GEM, ASTORIA.—Connected with Peter Wilhelm's, Astoria, is a Ship Masters' Reading Room, where the latest shipping papers are on file. Also, Homeward and Outward Bound List. Also, Agent for Geo. W. Weidler's steam Tugs and Lighters. Telegraph Office next door.

PILOTAGE BILL NO. 32—COLUMBIA BAR.

BOARD OF TRADE, PORTLAND, Oct 5, 1878.

To the Honorable Senators and Members of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon—GENTLEMEN: It was not the intention of this board to call the legislature's attention again to the laws relating to pilotage and towage on the bar, believing that the matter was so well understood that house bill No. 32, now before the house, required no explanation. As, however, misrepresentations are being made and opposition urged to defeat the bill, you will pardon me, therefore, in exposing the reasons which dictate the opposition referred to.

First—Under act of 28th October, 1868 now in force, the state declares that the owner of the tug boat (Captain Flavel) therein mentioned, shall have the exclusive monopoly of the pilotage and towage system to and from Astoria and the bar, "for the period of five years (now mark what follows) and as much longer as the said tug boat shall be able to answer the demands of the public service." These are the very words of the act; see page 709 of code of 1874, line 25. That being so every lawyer knows that until the state passes a law declaring Captain Flavel's tug does not now answer the demands of the public service, he has the *exclusive* monopoly of the Columbia bar. Is it to be wondered at, then, why he seeks to defeat the pilotage bill now under discussion in the legislature? Naturally enough, if he succeeds in throwing this bill overboard, he has what the law now in force clearly says—the exclusive monopoly in future of pilotage and towage till the state throws it open to public competition.

Second—Furthermore this is more clearly demonstrated when I explain that said law of October 28, 1868, says (see page 709 of code of 1874, commencing at line 22): "The pilot commissioners shall then license the master and other pilots in the employ of such tugboat, and shall revoke all other licenses for the pilot ground aforesaid, and shall not license any other our pilots than such as shall be in the employ of such tug boat." Now, could words express more clearly this exclusive privilege. But let us see what is the result. Last winter a memorial was presented to the board of trade, signed by every shipowner in Oregon (except Capt. Flavel), and every merchant and trader, without exception, in the city of Portland, including Allen & Lewis, and 18 shipmasters of foreign vessels then lying at Portland, and which memorial is now before the house of representatives at Salem, representing the urgent necessity for sail pilots being appointed for Columbia bar in addition to Capt. Flavel's pilots and tugs. But under the law now in force no one could act except his (Capt. Flavel's) pilots. Believing, as they did, that this memorial, when published, was a direct invitation from the mercantile and shipping interests of Oregon, that they would support an opposition, and relying on the present legislature passing laws for the protection as opposition pilots, Captains Johnson, Doig, Staples and Masters, four licensed pilots "in the employ of such tug boat" of Capt. Flavel, did, three weeks ago, place the *Rescue* on the bar, and are now running opposition on the bar. Unfortunately, however, their commissions as licensed pilots will expire in two months hence, and then, unless the legislature passes the bill now before your honorable body, these four pilots' licenses will not be renewed, and they will be punished for their bold opposition in competing with Capt. Flavel, by losing their licenses. Why? "Because they are not now in the service or employ of such tugboat," as defined by the law now in force, and therefore cannot get renewal of their licenses. The law directly says (see page 709 of code): "The pilot commissioners shall not license any other bar pilots than such as shall be in the employ of such tugboat." If, therefore, this bill now before the legislature be not passed, you can at once see that as the state has not then declared the pilotage and towage on the bar are open to public competition, he (Capt. Flavel) will have the monopoly again for other two years, and carry it on again in whatever way he pleases.

Third—Capt. Flavel alleges that the fees prescribed in the bill now under discussion are inadequate to sustain his pilots and steam tugs. Permit me to show the absurdity of this assertion in a few words. If you will examine the law above referred to (page 707 of code), you will see on line tenth "that the fees for piloting and towing a sail vessel from the open sea beyond the bar to Astoria shall be eight dollars per foot draft for the first twelve feet," and so on. Now, what fees does house bill No. — allow? Why not exceeding $16 per foot "for piloting and towing" a vessel to Astoria, or exactly double the former rates in force; or $8 per foot for pilotage and $8 per foot for towage. You will naturally ask if the rates are doubled why then does Capt. Flavel complain of this bill? Because it says that the pilot commissioners must in future license any number of persons or steaming pilot boats; indeed, whoever demands such licenses must get them, provided they can undergo the necessary examination by the pilot commissioners and three master mariners of their capabilities to act as sail pilots or steaming pilots; and as a necessary consequence, if this bill passes into a law, Capt. Flavel's exclusive monopoly of the pilotage and towage on the bar will forever cease. You may farther ask, Why is it proposed to double the rates of pilotage and towage? Because, in the first place, the state does not now as formerly contribute $3,000 per year, as she did the fifth year (See code, page 709) to Capt. Flavel to support his tugs, and therefore it is necessary he should have increased compensation from that which he then received, which was $8 per foot under twelve feet and $10 per foot above twelve feet "for piloting and towing" (together); and, in the second place, the board of trade was informed that if the rates were raised from $8 to $16 for pilotage and towage combined certain persons would come from San Francisco and Puget sound with large and powerful steamtugs and pilots for Columbia bar, and this competition would reduce the fees from the maximum rate of $16 proposed to be fixed and the pilotage and towage service from such competition would be more efficiently conducted than hitherto, and as a necessary consequence the producers and farmers would gain two to three more cents per bushel for their wheat, and ships would visit the Columbia river more frequently in search of charters, relying on the efficiency of the pilotage and towage system for the safety of their vessels. These were the reasons which dictated the committee of this board in raising the maximum fees for pilotage and towage from $8 and $10 to $16 per foot, or $8 per foot for pilotage and $8 per foot for towage.

Finally, let me say that the bill now under discussion in the house was prepared with another object, to prevent the unjust discrimination of rates charged between vessels of the same draught of water but belonging to different owners. This assertion I propose to prove to your satisfaction from the official report of the pilot commissioners just presented to the legislature. Turn to page 121 and you will find that the *Albert*, drawing 16½ feet of water, was piloted and towed over the bar from Astoria by Capt. Flavel's tug *Brenham*, Capt. Staples, pilot, for $236 of fees for pilotage and towage combined, whereas the *Portland*, drawing the same number of feet (16½) was piloted and towed by the same tug, *Brenham*, and the same pilot, Capt. Staples, for $111, fees for pilotage and towage, or less than one-half what was charged the *Albert*. Again the *Thorndyke*, drawing 17½ feet, was piloted and towed by the *Astoria*, Captain Flavel's pilot, Doig, for $346, and yet the *Centaur*, drawing 17 feet, was only charged $195 for pilotage and towage combined. (See pages 113 and 117) All over this official report one can see by scanning the tables of actual rates charged discriminations again and again, and what is the result of such a policy? Simply to disgust shipowners from sending their vessels to Oregon because they allege, and justly too, that the owners of the pilotage and towage system charge one vessel double the rates they charge another, and the result of all which is that the farmers and producers of Oregon have all to pay three dollars more per ton here for chartering a vessel to Europe from Oregon than at San Francisco and, in consequence, wheat sells here for ten cents less per cental than in San Francisco, the producer losing the difference.

It pains me exceedingly to have thus to represent the reasons why Captain Flavel opposes the pilotage bill now in the house. I have the best of friendly feelings towards that gentleman, personally; but the commercial interests of this city and state, which the board of trade represents, compels it in the interest of the people of the state to advocate the passage of the bill referred to. Portland has nothing to gain more than Astoria from this bill because the rates prescribed therein are the same per foot, whether the vessel which crosses the bar is a small or large vessel or whether it is intended to proceed to Astoria or Portland.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
WILLIAM REID,
Sec'y of the Board.

For an elegant Ladies' suit or cloak go to Harris Emporium of Fashion.

The Oregon Glove Factory has removed to 224 First street, near Salmon.

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Take your boy to Fishel & Roberts for a next suit.

Notwithstanding the recent loss, H. T. Hudson will have another lot of revolvers in a few days. They are of the best make.

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SYNOD OF THE COLUMBIA.

EVENING SESSION.

At the session of synod Friday evening the committee of arrangements submitted the following report: This evening the subject will be, "On promoting personal piety by efforts for the salvation of others." On Sabbath several city pulpits will be occupied by members of the synod. On Sabbath evening the subject in the Presbyterian church will be, "Christian work at home and abroad;" to be discussed by several gentlemen.

After devotional exercises for half an hour the synod was called to order by the moderator. The minutes were read, and, after some correction, were approved.

The synod directed that a committee of one, consisting of the Rev. Edward R. Geary, D. D., be appointed to draft resolutions with reference to the death of the wife of the Rev. J. A. Hanna; and that the resolutions be entered upon the minutes of the synod.

The synodical missionary, Rev. Howard W. Stratton, submitted a comprehensive and satisfactory report. He stated that during the synodical year eight new names had been added to the list of ministers and that another was expected soon; that six churches had been organized, and that six new church buildings had been finished or were nearing completion.

On the invitation of the member from Seattle, it was voted that the next meeting of the Synod be in the Presbyterian Church of that city.

The Rev. J. A. Cruzan, of the Congregational Church, being present, was invited to sit as a corresponding member.

The petition, with reference to the erection of a new Presbytery, east of the mountains, to be known as the Presbytery of Idaho was granted by the Synod.

The committee on Indian affairs reported, recommending that a committee of three, to consist of Rev. Dr. Lindsley, Rev. Dr. Geary, and Rev. Geo. F. Whitworth, be appointed, with plenary power in cases of emergency.

EUGENE CITY NOTES.

A correspondent writing from Eugene City under date of the 4th, says:

Mr. E. C. Bromley is very sick with typhoid fever.

Miss Kate Hoffman returned from Portland yesterday, where she has been visiting friends.

Mrs. Judge Skinner and Miss Lockheart of Empire City are sojourning among friends here.

A valuable cow belonging to Mr. A. S. McClure was stolen from his barn in this city one night last week.

The public school building is now completed and school will commence next Monday. We boast of the finest public school-house in Oregon, south of Portland.

A boy about sixteen years of age, well known in town, borrowed a watch of a chum, stole $55 coin and has left for parts unknown.

On last Friday afternoon the Eulaxian society elected the following officers: President, Miss Mary Hays; Vice President, Miss Aggie McCornack; Secretary, Miss Julia Adams; Treasurer, Miss Eva Rice; Marshal, Miss Nettie McCornack.

Mr. John Sharp, an old and respected citizen of this county, died at his residence on the 26th ultimo. Mr. Sharp was at one time a county commissioner and was ever held in the highest esteem by all who knew him.

There was another barn burned near Irving, in this county, on last Friday night. Mr. Henry Maxwell was the owner, and his loss is about $1,500. This makes the third barn that has been burned this fall, within one mile of Irving.

The legislative committee visited the State University last Saturday, and spent the Sabbath in our quiet city. We have no doubt but what their trip was a relief to them and know it at it will be a benefit to the State at large to know the good work that its favored institution of learning is accomplishing.

The Sheriff of Douglas county arrested two sharps here, last Monday evening, for the alleged crime of burglary, committed in Roseburg. There was a watch found on the person of one of the prisoners that had been stolen from one of our own citizens.

The Laurean Society, at the last regular meeting, elected the following officers viz: President—H. C. Condon; Vice President—J. N. Pearcy; Secretary—Clifton Wash; Ass't Sec'y—S. Condon; Treasurer—F. Hill; Censor—Rob't S. Bean; Sargeant-at-Arms—George S. Washburne.

There was a shooting affray occurred here on last Tuesday afternoon, which occasioned considerable excitement. A man by the name of Fales shot Mr. B. C. Pennington, the ball taking effect in the left shoulder, passing through and lodging in the back part of the body. It appears that Mr. Pennington had garnisheed Mr. Fale's wages for the payment of a butcher bill, and the last named gentleman took this means of getting even. There was no provocation whatever, for the shooting. Mr. Pennington's wounds are not considered dangerous.

Police Court.

Larceny—Henry Dickens; continued.

Carrying concealed weapon—Ah Bong, $15.

Drunk and disorderly—Joseph Freeman, $10; Florence McCarty, $10; Peter Peterson $10; Frank Harris, $10; Dennis Mulligan, $5; Chas. Evans, Albert Deboy, $10; Thos. Taylor, $5.

The Chinamen charged with the murder of Chin Su Ying in the joss house on Thursday, waived examination and were held to answer without bail.

CENTRAL MARKET RESTAURANT.—Mr. Auguste Fournier, the well known and popular *restaurateur*, has just purchased the Central Market Restaurant on First street, so long kept by Mr. F. C. Barnes. Mr. Fournier is a most successful caterer, and those who desire to *get a good square meal* should not fail to give him a call. He promises to give entire satisfaction to all who patronize him. Everything will be kept neat and clean and the cookery all that the most fastidious could desire.

Gents should go to Fishel & Roberts for suits of latest style.

Kid gauntlets, $1 per pair; ladies' and children's stocking supporters, at Mrs. Chas. Tichnor's corner First and Yamhill streets.

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DEATH OF CHIN SU YING.

The unfortunate Celestial, Chin Su Ying, who was the victim of a most murderous assault at the Chinese Joss house Thursday afternoon died of his wounds Saturday morning about 2 o'clock. Coroner Cooke was notified and summoning a jury proceeded to hold an inquest. A number of witnesses were examined and an autopsy held on the body by Dr. Saylor. The intestines were found to be ruptured by the pistol shots which passed through the abdomen, and the skull was badly fractured. Either wound would have produced death. After hearing all the testimony and the statement of the physician, the jury returned the following

VERDICT:

We the jury find that the deceased Chin Su Ying came to his death from pistol shot wounds inflicted by Le Ah Quang and from a hatchet wound in the head inflicted by Le Ah Chow, and in the opinion of the jury the crime of murder has been committed.

W. A. Daly, foreman, N. R. Cox, E. S. Griffith, H. R. Alden, F. F. Powell and L. Wilmer.

Shortly before the death of Chin Su Ying Dr. Saylor explained to him that he must die. He was then in full possession of his faculties. The defendants, Le Ah Quang and Le Ah Chow, were brought into his presence; pointing to one of them the victim said "he shot me," and to the other, "he cut me." This statement was made in the presence of the prosecuting attorney and other witnesses and will be used on the trial.

Dr. Manasse, the most skillful Optician and Oculist, who comes to us highly indorsed by our best citizens of Oregon, will suit the most the most difficult sights on the mere inspection of the eyes, with his improved Parabola Spectacles. Beware of peddlers during our state fair, selling common specs, and claiming connection with Dr. Manasse. He can only be seen at the Chemeketa Hotel during the fair.

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MONDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 7, 1878.

LETTER FROM THE CAPITAL.

THE STATE LANDS DEVELOPMENTS—GOOD MATERIAL IN THE LEGISLATURE—RIGHT OF WAY FOR THE NORTH PACIFIC—SWAMP LAND GRAB AND OMNIBUS RAILROAD MATTERS.

SALEM, Oct. 6, 1878.

Matters have gone smoothly and rather monotonously until of late, but the house quite waked up yesterday afternoon, when the committee on the accounts of the board of school lands commissioners made the startling report that they found matters wonderfully mixed, and deemed it necessary to employ a shorthand reporter, to summon witnesses and hold their sittings after the session was over; for there is no time left to do it in now. The testimony of Col. Cann was telegraphed you last evening, and my notes sent to-day show the run of the debate. The leading Democrats in the house vied with each other in urging an investigation, and Mr. Galloway, chairman of the committee, when asked if this was all the strong testimony, promptly replied that this was given as a sample, and there was plenty more of the same kind in the hands of the committee, if gentlemen wanted it. The scene was for awhile animated and interesting, and the openness with which all questions were met reflects credit on the dominant party. The general opinion is that the house is composed of really good material. No demagogues seem to have got into it. There is a solid element that means business, and wont trifle with the interests of the state; and some of the younger Democrats—such as Dorris, Hewitt, Galloway, Campbell and Mr. Speaker—are evidently desirous of making a record for good honest work. The speaker, by the by, shows himself master of the chair, and gives general satisfaction. He is prompt, has become rapid, and is *au fait* with the gavel and in his rulings. I don't think now that President of the senate Whiteaker has any percentage over him, and come to think of it, they both hail from Lane county. Yamhill will have to watch her laurels or Lane will get the start of her. But to return to our mutton, which is being cooked by the late board of state land commissioners. It must be taken into consideration that there is a sort of scare on now, and we must give the parties interested a fair show to explain, though one thing they can hardly satisfy the state upon, and that is upon the loose way in which business has been done and accounts kept. Col. Cann is considered rather more sinned against than sinning, and has our sympathies, to a certain extent, for the fix he is placed in, at least we hope he will come out without smirching. We shall see what we shall see and time and investigation will tell their story. I hear that the scrutinizing mind of D. P. Thompson, of the committee, led these developments into daylight. When it comes to seeing through millstones he comes nearer than most of us, and as long as he is on the committee it will have a keen scent. If you notice the proceedings a while you will soon observe that Thompson is sharp enough to watch the whole legislature and all its doings—and if you observe a while longer, you will be amused to see that the whole legislature watches Thompson. They have implicit faith in him when he watches somebody else, and suspect his shrewdness of all sorts of projects and intentions that they fear they will not be sharp enough to detect.

The proposed passage of a bill to grant the right of way to the Northern Pacific road met with considerable objection this afternoon, on the ground that we, four years ago, passed such a bill and it still holds good; but Thompson claims that the bankruptcy and reorganization of the company invalidated the first act and requires re-enactment. It struck me as strange that no one met him with the inquiry: How, if they lost all their other corporate franchises, they kept hold of their land grant? That proposition is rather thin. Judge Strong, attorney for the company, thinks the first act binds the state and that the state cannot recede from it, at least he says he thinks so. Eastern Oregon members seem unanimous in demanding some restrictions or guaranty that the portage roads will be built by the company, and my own sympathies point that way, while I am also disposed to be very kind to that much hampered and afflicted corporation. It is our only show for a railroad to the east, and we must make the best of it, whether we like it or no.

The gregarious swamp-land-internal-improvement act put in an appearance to-day as substitute for several other pending bills that were summarily turned out of doors. To make an Irish account of it and begin at the wrong end, it closes with taking away the swamp land grant (of all the wagon roads left in 1872) to the Salt Lake railroad; provides that what lands are left shall constitute a fund, and the magnificent proportion of 18 per cent. of the proceeds of the same shall be used, first, to build the Columbia portage road, and then to build about a thousand miles of narrow track and widely scattered roads named in the bill. It is a magnificent project (on paper), and reminds me of the loaves and fishes that held out so miraculously, of the widow's cruse that never failed, and of that veritable navigator Sinbad the Sailor, to say nothing of faith that can remove mountains and ought, of course, to build railroads. I am for the narrow-gauge roads and for an internal improvement fund that can build them. We are, with the roads as the boy was with his woodchuck—we are out of meat, or rather out of railroads of that gauge, and we must have them; and I make a suggestion, timidly but hopefully, that congress be prayerfully asked to contribute the silver soap mudholes discovered, and *so often salted*, in the Ochoco country, to swell the swamp land area, which could be done consistently, for so much salt has been wasted on them that they would pass for salt springs, and they belong to the state.

We have also the receipt Cann gave for that $30,000, to start roads on, and that has an asset-ic look. We must have the railroads, moreover, so that foreign insurance companies can use their bonds to deposit in the state treasury, as provided in another bill. A state official of high rank and very dry wit says he objects to any of these bonds being deposited in the state treasury as the state would have no remedy in case they should be stolen, unless something of value should be deposited with them, to at least make the theft a petit larceny.

I am told it is proposed to amend the internal improvement bill and add a bridge across the Stygian waters, somewhere in Lane county, so throwing "a sop to Cerberus," and bridging the bloody chasm between the slough of despond where the swamp lands lie and the delectable fields where narrow track railroads are to wander. The bill resembles an omnibus that is never full, and is dangerous because it means combination, whereas every measure contemplated in it should stand on its own merits. Perhaps its projectors would do well to study the constitution before they court the executive veto for their spider work. That instrument says: "Every act shall embrace but one subject * * * which shall be expressed in the title." This bill already provides: 1st. For an internal improvement fund. 2d. For a portage railroad on the Columbia. 3d. For a railroad in Jackson county. 4th. A railroad in the Willamette valley. 5th. For a railroad in Douglas county. 6th. For the Blue Mountains and Columbia river road. 7th. For a wagon road in Lake county. Study the constitution, gentlemen, before you drive your omnibus across a bridge in Lane county.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

SATURDAY EVENING, October 5, 1878.

Legal tenders in Portland—buying 99½; selling, par.

Silver coin—1¼@1½ per cent. discount.

San Francisco Produce and General Markets.

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Rice—Market active at full prices.

ATLANTIC MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 4.—Wheat—75½c for November delivery.

The rush now is at the C. O. D. Grocery.

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In Solvent Condition.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 4—The bank commissioners have completed their examination of the affairs of the German Savings Bank. Owing to the condition in which the institution was found, it took only two days to arrive at a conclusion. The commissioners report that the bank is ably and conservatively managed and that in their opinion it is in a good and solvent condition.

Races at San Jose.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 4.—At the race at San Jose to-day, 2:30 class, between Colonel Lewis and Rustic, the former won in 2:19, Rustic distanced.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct 5.—This is the closing day of the San Jose races. The trot by Fullerton, Occident and Nutwood, was won by Fullerton in three straight heats; time 2:18¼, 2:20¼, 2:19.

Suits Commenced.

Seneca McCroney brings suit in the twelfth district court to recover $150,000 from R. Griesinger, for the alleged conversion to his own use of 700 shares of Hale & Norcross stock on the 22d September last.

Charles Sawyer brings suit in the same court, against Griesinger, to recover $70,000 damages for the alleged conversion of 600 shares of Savage stock in February last.

California Constitutional Convention.

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 4.—The convention this afternoon proceeded to fill the vacancies occasioned by the death of Haight and Hardwick and the resignation of Morris. The workingmen placed Judge Sharpstein in nomination. R. H. Lloyd was nominated by Barnes, J. C. Burch by Hager and Smith B. Thompson by Harvey. Six ballots were taken, Sharpstein running 54 to 58, Lloyd 43 to 49, Thompson 16 to 22, and Burch 12 to 16. Adjourned.

Races at Yreka.

YREKA, Cal., Oct. 5.—The races to-day. First—mile heats, 3 in 5, for which S. Booth entered Scamperdown by Norfolk, and Flitner entered Ida Hammond; won by Scamperdown; time 1:57, 1:56, Ida distanced in the second heat. The next race was half-mile heats, 2 in 3. Entries, Charley, Johnny Schmoker and Nellie Hawkins. At the first trial they got off on a false start and Johnny Schmoker and Charley went under the string together in 50 3-5. The two heats of the race were won by Nellie Hawkins; time 53¼, 54¼. There were numerous quarter and other races run, affording much sport. The closing exercises take place at the pavilion to-night and an immense crowd is in attendance.

FIRE AT JUNCTION CITY.

A Block of Buildings Burned—The Railroad Depot on Fire—Loss, $50,000; Insurance, $15,000.

JUNCTION CITY, Oct. 5.—A fire started about 2 o'clock this morning, in the back part of Cohen's store, and burned seven buildings. Nothing was saved. Berry's hotel was burned some, but the fire was put out, and Gilmore's hotel the same. The whole block was burned except one building. The cars on the railroad took fire, but were hauled out and saved. The depot took fire five times but was saved. At 5 o'clock everything was in ashes. Saloman's safe was not warm inside, and after the fire the locks worked and it was opened and everything found in good shape. The cause of the fire was incendiary. The total loss, as near as we can get it, is $50,000; insurance about $15,000.

THE COURTS.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SHATTUCK, J.

The september term of the Circuit Court, for Clackamas county, which has been in session some days, adjourned Friday.

The following persons were drawn as grand jurors: S. D. Moore, B. Jaggers, G. W. Prosser, J. K. Kruse, P. Heater, Wm. Sharrock, H. W. Lake.

The following criminal business was transacted:

State of Oregon vs. J. C. LaRocque and Abe Eddy: Indicted for assault with a dangerous weapon; convicted of assault. Eddy fined $50 and costs; LaRocque fined $100 and costs.

State of Oregon vs. Wm. R. Smith: Convicted of felony in stealing a steer; forfeited bail.

State of Oregon vs. Daniel Smith: Convicted of adultery. Sentenced to 18 months imprisonment in penitentiary.

State of Oregon vs. E. Bolton: Convicted of indecent exposure of person. Fined $50 and costs.

State of Oregon vs. William Donaldson: Two indictments for assault with intent to commit rape. Forfeited bail.

State of Oregon vs. Wm. Greenly: Convicted of larceny of personal property of value of $40; sentenced to one year in penitentiary.

State of Oregon vs. P. J. Singson: Prosecuted for selling liquor without license; appeal by defendant from Justice's court. Appeal dismissed and judgment against defendant and sureties for $100 and costs.

Every indictment tried resulted in a conviction, which fact is highly complimentary to Hon. John F. Caples, the Prosecuting Attorney for this district.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY, J.

SATURDAY, October 5, 1878.

United States vs Thomas G. Young et al; motion for a new trial allowed—order to set aside verdict and allow plaintiff to replead in ten days.

In re, Application to perpetuate testimony; order that depositions of witnesses named in the petition be taken before J. J. Walton, U. S. Commissioner at Salem, upon ten days' notice to District Attorney—depositions to be returned by Commissioner to Court.

United States vs O. S. N. Company; Judgment for the appropriation of land for canal and locks around the Cascades of the Columbia.

Court adjourned *sine die*.

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Con Va—850 shs $15½, 15¾, 16¼.
Chollar—355 shs $58, 57, 59, 58¼.
H & N—2120 shs $30, 29½, 29½.
Point—1075 shs $10¼, 10, 10¼.
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Kentuck—9¼, 9¼.
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Belcher—1810 shs $10½, 11, 11¼, 12, 11⅞.
Confidence—775 shs $12½, 13.
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Utah—330 shs $13, 42, 42¼, 41.
Bullion—2330 shs $16¾, 16¼, 16¾.
Exchequer—1115 shs $8, 7¾, 8¼, 8½.
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Justice—750 shs $10¼, 10¼, 10½, $9¼, 10.
Union—560 shs $174, 172, 176, 175.
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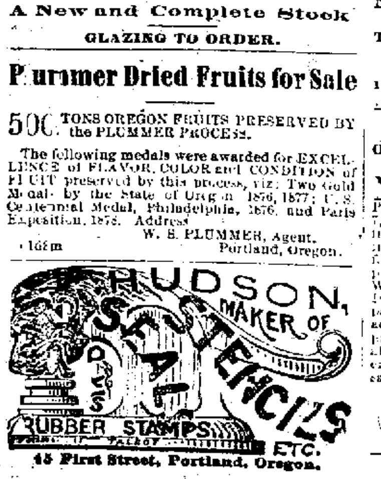

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Crooked Whisky in Tenne

NASHVILLE, Oct. 7.—Deputy U. S Collector Phillips has returned from Overton, Jackson and Putnam coun eral illicit distilleries were destr when a few miles from Levergsto enue force found about sixty men a long range rifles waiting for them immediately began and continued ammunition of the revenue force exhausted, compelling them to retr reported that four distillers are several wounded.

Tilden Meets a Defeat.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—The state D convention met to-day and elected Purcell, of Rochester, chairman. defeat of the Tilden men, whose was Gen. Faulkner.

A Religious Gathering.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Preparations ing for the conference of believers millennial advent of Jesus Christ. held at the church of the Holy this city, Oct. 30th and 31st and No circular has been issued setting object of the conference and giving of the bishops, professors, minis others who unite in approving the

Notes for Redemption.

A remonstrance has been sent by ing house to Secretary Sherman recent order requiring senders of bank currency intended for redem pay the expressage on it in advan claimed that the order bears une the large as compared with the sm and towns.

A Claimant for the Reese E

The Panama *Star*, just receive claimant has appeared for a portio immense fortune left by the late Reese, of California, in the person o Ancona, a native of Panama. She have been the wife of the deceased sire, and that her son Richao is legitimate of the fortune.

Old Persons Murdered.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 8.—Thomas Stav his sister, two old people living o near Richmond, Kentucky, were sh unknown party Friday night last.

A Will and Spiritualism

NEW YORK, Oct. 8—In the Vande case to-day Mrs. E. Fletcher Bishop that she had several conversation spiritualism with the Commodore; was after 1868, after his first wife He expressed his belief in spirits. ployed several spiritualistic physici they gave him great consolation. I advised her husband to employ them he did so after his wife's death, and abled through them to know what doing in the other world. Another 1872, he told her he had a revelation dead son George. He said George him to make William the head man girls did not know how to take money, and Cornelius was an invali the Commodore said he had employe spiritualistic physicians, who gave h consolation with spiritual manifestatio and Cornelius was delicate and inca attending to business, and might be an asylum. In 1874 the Commodo witness his wife had been revealed through spiritual doctors, and she him to give the principal part of the to William, who would take care of

Fatal Railroad Accident.

BOSTON, Oct. 8.—A serious accid curred this evening on the old Colo road to a crowded excursion train wh returning from the Silver Lake rowin between Reagan, of Boston, and Portland. A train of 20 cars ran track. It is rumored that 42 perso killed and that Reagan the boatman ally injured.

The Hostile Cheyennes.

CAMP ROBINSON, Neb., Oct. 7.—A who arrived at 9 P. M. from Red Clou location on White Clay creek reporti band of Cheyennes crossed there at n Sunday and are said to be with Red Indians. The same courier states tha thing is quiet so far at both the Re and Spotted Tail agencies. Nothing heard from Carlton's command for hours. Couriers are expected hourly

The Cheyenne Raid.

OMAHA, Oct. 8.—A dispatch receiv Thornburgh's command says the have scattered. Captain Mauck was behind the Indians. Colonel Carleto Camp Robinson, has by this time rea country between Snake creek and N river, through which the Indians are ed to pass. A courier from Carleto mand on Snake creek arrived at Sidn reports that Carleton's advance discov advanced scouts of the Cheyennes on t of the 3d, 32 miles southeast of Sna Station.

Colonel Obeirne telegraphs the sioner of Indian affairs from Wh Agency, on the 7th inst., via Camp son, Nebraska, that a scout, just there, reported that Red Cloud and h were then only five miles distant and in.

The Fever Spreading.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 7.—Reports sh tinued spreading of the fever in the th sixth districts, every member of fa some cases being prostrated, and t affluent circumstances find difficult curing competent nurses.

Bad Reports from Memphis.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 7.—The demand fo at the Howard association headquarte has been in excess of the supply. T and warm weather has tended to f spreading of the fever, and reports f terior towns give gloomy accounts condition of affairs.

Further from New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 8.—Deaths, 4 reported, 186. Total deaths, 3 201; 786.

Weather cloudy and threatening ra

Further from Memphis.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 8.—The weather is warm, which is favorable to spreading of the disease. From la until noon to-day 22 deaths are repo undertakers.

Correction.

In THE OREGONIAN of 24th Septem following was published:

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 23.—The Odd bank of this city has resolved to wind up and has made an assignment. The as bank, it is believed, will secure and pay a ties, and the stockholders are responsible.

The above should have read "T Fellows' Bank of Sacramento."

English Wheat Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 7.—Quotations are as Fair to choice shipping California, per cen 6d@11s 4d; fair to choice shipping club, p 10s 6d@10s 4d; red Am spring, No. 2 to No 9s 6d.

Republican Meeting Captured Shirts.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—The *Journal* special says the Charleston *Courier* of Saturday contains an ac attempt to capture a Republican